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In re Continued Prosecution Application of

Werner RAHMFELD et al.

Serial No.: 09/462,024

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For: Method and Device for Producing
Thin Slabs

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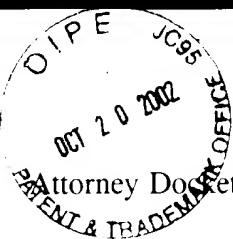
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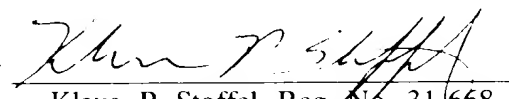
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